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GEORGE W. VAUGHAN APPOINTED LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS ASSISTANT

The Secretary of Defense today announced the appointment of George W. Vaughan, of Los Angeles, California, as Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Legislative Affairs.

Major General C. J. Hauck, Jr., USA, who has been acting as Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Legislative Affairs, will serve as Deputy to Mr. Vaughan.

Mr. Vaughan was born in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, March 21, 1918. He attended Oklahoma City public schools, and graduated from Stanford University in 1940.

Mr. Vaughan served in the U. S. Naval Reserve during World War II, entering the service as an ensign and attaining the rank of Lieutenant Commander. He served with carrier task forces through the Middle Pacific campaigns.

In 1945 Mr. Vaughan was assigned to Secretary of State Edward R. Stettinius to perform organizational duties in connection with the United Nations conference in San Francisco.

Mr. Vaughan has been in the retail automobile business in Los Angeles since the war, and was designated a General Motors Buick dealer there in 1949. He has served as president of the Buick Dealers Association of Los Angeles and as a member of the National Buick Dealers Council.

Mrs. Vaughan, the former Jean Webb of Los Angeles, is currently serving as President of the Association of Junior Leagues of America. The Vaughans have two children, a son, Bill, age 14, and a daughter, Merry,, age 10.

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